## Waukesha 4-H Project Guide

Category: Arts & Communications

4/2021



4-H Project  Communications	Subprojects under this project
Things you might learn in this project:	<ul> <li>Engage in non-verbal, verbal and written activities</li> <li>Strengthen your personal communication skills</li> <li>Encrypt codes, write songs and give directions</li> <li>Learn to become a confident communicator</li> <li>Present oral reasons, plan and present speeches</li> <li>Practice making good first impressions</li> <li>Explore communication careers</li> <li>Explore language and creative expression</li> <li>Stimulate your creativity and self-expression</li> </ul>
Learning activities/ workshops/ field trip ideas:	<ul> <li>Participate in Waukesha 4-H Performing Arts Day</li> <li>Visit a local Toastmasters meeting</li> <li>Give a speech or demonstration at a club or project meeting</li> <li>Participate at STate Fair demonstration activities</li> <li>Participate in the Youth in Action Stage at County Fair</li> </ul>
Ideas of things you might exhibit in the fair:	<ul> <li>Individual or team demonstration on Youth In Action Stage</li> <li>Individual or team speech on Youth In Action Stage</li> <li>Short Story Writing, Poetry: less than 50 lines.</li> <li>Essay or Memoirs</li> <li>Display or poster about books, authors, or book crossing.</li> <li>Recording of reading a book to child, grandparent, or soldier</li> <li>Notebook/album about books you've read. Do reviews, discussions, questions, art.</li> <li>Leading by Reading – Plan a reading session at school, nursing home, or hospital.</li> <li>Read one or two books on the Youth In Action Stage</li> <li>Poster on communications careers</li> </ul>
Waukesha County Project Leaders:	Gayle Nicoll, <a href="mailto:gaylenicollphd@gmail.com">gaylenicollphd@gmail.com</a> , 412-965-7046  Usually county 4-H Public Speaking workshop held in Winter
References & Resource links:	<ul> <li>https://fyi.extension.wisc.edu/wi4hprojects/arts-communication/communications/</li> <li>https://www.toastmasters.org/</li> <li>https://www.extension.iastate.edu/4h/projects/communication</li> <li>https://4h.extension.illinois.edu/members/projects/communications</li> </ul>